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SUBJECT: MEDITERRANEAN FRUIT FLY FOUND IN GUATEMALA

1. MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE HAS CONFIRMED PRESENCE OF MEDITERRANEAN FRUIT FLY AT FIVE POINTS IN SOUTHERN GUATEMALA 60 TO 80 KILOMETERS INSIDE BORDER WITH EL SALVADOR. GEORGE CAVIN, APHIS, ARRIVED YESTERDAY APRIL 27 FROM MONTERREY, MEXICO, AND TALKED TODAY APRIL 28 WITH MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND CARLOS MEYER, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF OIRSA.

2. MINISTRY HAS EXTENDED TRAP LINES ON PACIFIC PLAINS ALMOST TO MEXICAN BORDER, ALSO HAS TRAPS ON CARIBBEAN COAST. WITH ANTICIPATED ARRIVAL OF RAINY SEASON IN MID-MAY, ADULT MEDFLY POPULATION MAY BE EXPECTED TO DECLINE UNTIL NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 1975 WHEN IT SHOULD REAPPEAR WITH THE DRY SEASON. FULL EXTENT OF INFESTATION MAY NOT BE DETERMINED UNTIL THAT TIME.
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